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On Sunday, August 5, 2012, the northbound outside lane of Classen Boulevard between Constitution Street and State Highway 9 will be closed to traffic for approximately two months. This partial street closure is required due to construction on Classen Boulevard near the intersection of Imhoff Road. One lane will remain open for southbound traffic and both lanes will be open for northbound traffic on Classen Boulevard. Construction of the northbound portion of Classen Boulevard is scheduled to be complete by October 2012.

The Classen Boulevard/Imhoff Road Project between Constitution Street and State Highway 9 is a \$2.3 million street improvement project. The project involves the installation of a new traffic signal system at the intersection of Classen Boulevard and Imhoff Road including the addition of a center turn lane on Classen Boulevard. The Oklahoma Department of Transportation is administering the construction of the project on behalf of the City of Norman. Classen Boulevard serves as a portion of State Highway 77. The prime contractor is Shell Construction Company of Oklahoma City.

Additional questions may be directed to Mr. John Clink, City of Norman Capital Projects Manager, at (405)366-5424.